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## THE NEWS OF PROSPERITY.

### Enjoyable Morning Party—Literary Sorosis—Sunday School Picnic at Mt. Pilgrim.

Special to The Herald and News. ...

Prosperity, Aug. 9.—One of the most enjoyable of morning parties was the sunflower-rook party given by the Misses Hawkins in honor of Misses Creighton and Cowan of Rock Hill on Tuesday morning. After progressive rook, a delightful salad course, followed by ices, was served. The flower scheme was artistically used in both the salad and ice course.

Miss Marie Kohn entertained at fresco Thursday evening in honor of her house guests, Misses Dean of Saluda, Kohn of Columbia and Thompson of Newberry. The entertainment of the evening took the form of progressive conversation, which was enjoyed by a large number of friends. Punch and ices were served.

The literary sorosis met Friday afternoon with Mrs. O. S. Miller. After the program was rendered delightful ices were served.

Miss Ola Harrison of Columbia is here visiting Miss Aubry Oxner.

Prof. J. T. Taylor and Mrs. E. P. Taylor leave today for Spartanburg.

Miss Sara Mae Haynes has returned to High Point, N. C.

Mr. Seth Crosson of Leesville visited his aunt, Miss Victoria Crosson, last week.

Prof. and Mrs. J. E. Hunter will leave Wednesday for their home at Clemson college.

Misses Lucy and Annie Wheeler have returned to Columbia after a short visit to their parents.

Mrs. Carlisle Bedenbaugh has returned from Atlanta, accompanied by Miss Bertha Riskate.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Scott of Pacolet are spending a while with Mr. J. B. T. Scott.

Miss Nettie Barnes is visiting in Princeton.

Mrs. M. C. Morris has as her guest Misses Johnnie Rawl and Nettie Gary of Columbia.

Mr. J. C. Counts has bought a Saxon roadster.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Wheeler of Columbia are visiting their parents.

Miss Elizabeth McWaters reached home Saturday, after spending six weeks in Atlanta.

Miss Susan Langford visited in Little Mountain last week.

Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Taylor of Batesburg spent the week-end with Rev. Taylor.

Mr. Carl Fellers of Fitzgerald, Ga., will arrive this week to spend his vacation with his father, Mr. S. L. Fellers.

Miss Doris Kohn has gone to Augusta to visit Mrs. C. G. Barrier.

Mr. Kellers Mitchell of Batesburg spent last week with Mr. Pat Mitchell.

Mrs. Howard of Americus, Ga., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. T. Pugh.

Mr. Max Ballentine of Columbia spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Ray Kohn.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bowers of Hawkinsville, Ga., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Bowers.

Mrs. G. Y. Hunter left Saturday for Hendersonville, N. C.

Little Frances Ray has returned to her home in Spartanburg, after a visit to little Mary Littlejohn.

Miss Young of Moreland, Ga., is visiting Miss Clara Brown.

Miss Azile Berry has returned to Sabot, Va., after spending a few days with Miss Josephine May.

Mrs. Armelia Wise, after having spent the winter with her sister, Mrs. F. E. Schumpert, leaves today for McFeat's business college, Columbia, S. C.

Mesdames Wise of Saluda and Blease of Chappells visited Miss Gertrude Babb last week.

Mrs. Joiner and Miss Eula Joiner have returned to Helena, Ga., after a month's stay with Mrs. R. T. Pugh.

Messrs. W. J. and L. M. Wise left Sunday for Glenn Springs.

Miss Fannie Holloway of Newberry spent several days last week with Mrs. B. W. Cronk of the St. Luke's section.

Mrs. J. F. Browne and little daughter Elizabeth have gone to Wadesboro and Cherryville, N. C., to visit relatives.

Mrs. Alma Nance and daughter, Miss Katie Mae, have returned from Spar-

tanburg. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Nance's son, Mr. Willie Nance of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Schumpert of Savannah are spending a while with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Schumpert.

Miss Joe Kinard of Ninety Six spent the week-end with Miss Annie Moseley.

Mrs. M. L. Chase of Columbia is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. E. W. Werts.

Mr. Fred Schumpert of Augusta is visiting his mother, Mrs. Fannie Schumpert.

Miss Grace Julian of Lake City, Fla., is the guest of Miss Cairo Wyche.

Miss Evelyn Wise of Little Mountain spent the week-end with Miss Marguerite Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Quattlebaum and children are spending the week on Sullivan's Island.

Miss Julia Luther has returned to Columbia after a month's stay with relatives and friends.

There will be a picnic at Mt. Pilgrim church August 13, at which time the following program will be rendered. Everybody is invited to come with well-filled basket and enjoy the day with us.

Processional, Praise Ye the Lord. Invocation.

Song, A Day of Blessing. Responsive Scripture reading.

Recitation, We Are Glad Today. Song, Children's Day so Dear.

Recitation, A Little Light. Exercise—A Mighty Army Gathers.

Song, Bright Little Sunbeams. Exercise, Sunbeams.

Recitation, Golden Summer Days. Recitation, Swinging in the Sunlight.

Exercise, The Sunlit Way. Song, Sunlight, Sweet Sunlight.

Recitation, Kindness. Recitation, Truth.

Song, Jesus Bring Sweet Sunlight. Recitation, The Little Maid's Amen.

Recitation, The Death of Christ. Song, He Leads His Loving Children.

Recitation, At Set of Sun. Recitation, The Dying Boy.

Song, Walk in the Sunlight. Sunday school address.

Song, God Make My Life a Little Light. Benediction.

## THE KAISER'S GUNMAKERS.

### Vast Output of the Krupp Machine Works.

Ordinarily the Krupp manufacture railway equipment, motor cars and other steel products for purposes of peace, as well as guns, says the June American Review of Reviews. Now, however, the entire establishment is being devoted exclusively to the making of guns and war munitions. The immense furnaces are boiling tons of white hot metal, and the stacks belching forth volumes of black smoke, as the great army of gunmakers work in day and night shifts under tremendous war pressure. "Busy Bertie" are being politically produced. Guns for naval and coast defence, for siege and fortress purposes, field and mountain guns, anti-aircraft guns, guns of all kinds and calibre, with accessories and appointments, such as armed turrets, shields, observation stations, conning towers, armored casements, disappearing carriages, hoisting and lifting apparatus for ammunition; great shells, torpedoes, shrapnel, case shot, all kinds of ammunition, armor plate and ordnance wagons—in fact, all the dread implements in the arsenal of war stream forth in steady shipments.

### A Curiosity.

Florence Times.

If two heads are better than one, it did not prove so in this case, but nevertheless this is a real two-headed creature that we are going to speak about. Mr. C. M. Grimsley brought to The Times office this morning a little dead chicken with two well developed heads and a well formed body and legs. The biddie belonged to a brood of eight, seven of which hatched out alive and healthy, but the eighth egg did not hatch and when it was broken in it was found this strange creature, though dead. What makes it all the more strange is the fact that it was a single yolk egg. Sometimes a double yolk egg will develop two biddies, but they are usually grown together. This is the strangest freak of nature that has been seen in this section in some time.

## THE IDLER

I read the following in some newspaper the other day, and it is so full of the good old common sense that I want to pass it on to those of this community who feel like that knocker of the town referred to. If we could get out of Newberry every fellow who had given expression to sentiments like those quoted, it would be a good thing for Newberry. Now, you just stop, look and listen, as President Harrison says to do about the grade crossings of the railroads and you will hear some wise guy pretty soon say something like this: "I ought to have sense enough to leave this blamed old town," or may be he will say that, "I should have had sense enough to have left this blamed old town long ago." You will generally find that these fellows are the drones on the community who never do anything to help the town, and who have never done anything for the community. But here is the little paragraph to which I had reference:

"I ought to have sense enough to quit this blamed town," said a chronic knocker the other day. We promptly offered to supply the sense and the transportation, but the sucker is still here."

And now when you hear some one in this community make a similar remark you just do what this newspaper editor says he offered the fellow in that town. The sooner this toyn can get rid of such fellows the better for the town.

It is just like I said aforetime, what we need here is a spirit of optimism. Why do you know that a half dozen fellows telling some healthy and well man every day that he is looking awfully bad and asking him what's the matter with him, will soon put him to bed. You want to help the fellows of this town to set the right sort of music to the words of their lives and to tell them that God furnishes the words, but the music must be furnished by each individual, and whether the song shall be glad or sweet or sad all depends upon them. And listen, read these two brief stanzas and then go off and make a glad sweet song of your life:

"Our lives are songs; God writes the words,

And we set them to music at pleasure;

And the song grows glad, or sweet, or sad,

As we choose to fashion the measure.

"We must write the music, whatever the song,

Whatever its rhyme or meter;

And if it is sad, we can make it glad,

Or if sweet, we can make it sweeter."

I don't generally make it a practice to print things unless I know who sends them, but sometimes when it is a clipping I do not mind printing it even if I do not know who the sender is. I have received through the mail in an envelope addressed to Idler the following. I do not exactly know whether it is a compliment to me or whether it is intended otherwise. I do not know whether it is meant for me to understand that in the estimation of the sender of the clipping that I am a crank or a live wire, or whether I have intelligent and original ideas, or whether the contrary is intended. But it makes no difference to me what people think or say, as I have said several times heretofore. I consider myself a progressive citizen and a live wire, and in some things a crank, and I am proud of it because according to the dictionary a crank is a handle which is used to turn things around and move them forward, and I am both of them. Appreciation of this class of citizen, like charity, should begin at home. I know also that appreciation does not begin at home, of such labor as I have been rendering to this community, but neither does that concern me. I would like for some of the tight wads of this town to read this. Recognition of merit does come first away from home. I am not a prophet and never claimed to be, though sometimes I think I can see as far through a mill stone as any one else, and sometimes—well it does no good to tell some peo-

ple what you see on the other side. But here is the communication I received. Read it and tell me what it refers to and what it all means:

To Idler: It is said that a prophet is of no avail in his own homestead. A community, a province, a state becomes prominent by the acts of its progressive citizens. By their example civic pride is born. It should be the pride and ambition of every citizen of a state to accomplish something that will permit him to realize that he is one of the factors in its welfare and progress. If he is convinced of his lack of usefulness, and concludes he has no influence that would aid, then at least it should be his duty to help boost those that have the true spirit of progress and upbuilding.

Charity, it is said, begins at home. So should appreciation of progressive citizens. The man who develops an enterprise that becomes unusually prominent, mainly because of original ideas and intelligent application of good methods, should be encouraged and congratulated at home. But such does not seem to be the usual history. Usually recognition of merit of men who meet with great success in special callings or occupations—or, in other words, who have become experts, comes first away from home. The average sign of a man's success at home is when his neighbors begin to remark he is a crank, because he is devoting studious attention to his occupation, and making it a remarkable success. Every community has its individual live wires, and the chronic rest-takers who try to pick them up naturally get shocked, but not as severely as they should be.

I said a little while ago that what this community needed most was a spirit of optimism. I might add that the community needed as well the ability in its citizens to get rid of the grouch which some of our good people are carrying around with them all the time. And by the way I read the other day a number of things that a grouch will do and I believe that I am going to quote it here for the benefit of our grouchy people around town and I hope they will all read it, and then shake the thing off and have a pleasant smile and a kind word for every one they meet. It will do them good and do their community good. Here are the items and specifications:

"If you ever have a grouch, get rid of it—shake it off in a hurry—for it is about your worst enemy.

"A grouch will turn the sweetest disposition to vinegar.

"It will set you against your fellow man.

"It will impair your intellect, interfere with your appetite, cripple your digestion, and make you an object of ridicule in the eyes of other people.

"It will retard your work, drive your friends from you, cause your children to fear you and your relatives to shun you.

"It will turn the brightest day into a murky fog, obscure the sun which God gave you to enjoy, and transform the sparkling waters of purity into the bitterness of gall.

"It will strip you of ambition, pull you down to the depths and write 'finis' to an otherwise brilliant career.

"It will chill the whinny of your horse, kill the affections of your faithful dog and send your cat scampering to cover.

"It will rival the bellow of a bull, put your fowls to flight and make music the grunt of a pig.

"It will make you a byword in the community, an all around nuisance to humanity, and an object of disgust to yourself.

"It is full of peril and without a single grace, for it is the hand of the devil beckoning you down to hell.

"Get rid of your grouch."

The Idler.

## Death of Mrs. Katie Long.

Mrs. Katie Long, grandmother of Mr. George B. Merdiant of this city, died Thursday in Saluda. The funeral services were held at Trinity Lutheran church, of which she had been a member many years. Mrs. Long lived to a ripe old age, she being 91 years of age and is survived by seven children.—Greenwood Index.

Mrs. Long was the sister of Messrs. J. B. and M. H. Kempson, and a native of Newberry county, born between Little Mountain and Slighs.

## THE NEWS OF POMARIA.

### Barbecue For Benefit of Methodist Church—Woodmen of the World Picnic.

Special to The Herald and News.

Pomaria, Aug. 9.—There will be a barbecue given here on Friday, the 13th, for the benefit of the Methodist parsonage here. As a special feature the wives and widows of all old "vets" will get their dinner at half price and all others at 35 and 40 cents. This beats all the cues in the price of dinner and a large crowd is expected to be present and help a good cause, besides a good dinner you will get to hear some good music by a local band and there will be songs by the children. In the afternoon there will be a game of ball by Chinquapin and Pomaria.

The annual Woodmen of the World picnic will be held here on Thursday, Aug. 26. Head Clerk Richard S. Hood of Camden will make an address on Woodcraft in the morning and in the afternoon there will be a game of ball. Everybody is invited to come and bring dinner. Hon. Robert A. Cooper of Laurens will address the people during the day.

There was a large crowd passed through here Friday on their way to Little Mountain to the Newberry college reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hipp of Riverside are visiting Mr. Hipp's father, Mr. J. J. Hipp.

Mr. Breaker Setzler, who is studying surgery in the medical college at Charlottesville, Va., is at home for vacation.

Mr. Christian Folk of Denmark is visiting relatives in and around Pomaria.

Misses Bessie and Marie Rab of Fairfield and here visiting Mrs. W. D. Hatton.

Misses Alma and Lola Folk of Denmark are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. C. C. Roberts was a pleasant caller in town on last Saturday.

Miss Bessie Long of the Zion community visited the Misses Koon in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Furr of Concord, N. C., are down on a visit to Mrs. Furr's father, Mr. W. H. Kibler.

Mr. Willie Wedaman has returned from Ninety Six, where he has been to see his sister, Mrs. I. A. Shealy.

Mrs. George Swygert and little daughter Helen of Washington, D. C., are on a visit to Mr. W. W. Berley's family.

Misses Sara and Carrie Dell Huffman of Columbia are visiting Miss Ida Mae Setzler.

Miss Beatrice Livingston of Newberry and Miss Anna Koon of Pomaria are the guests of Miss Willilee Boinest this week.

Mr. D. J. DeHart of Newberry spent several days this week at Pomaria.

Dr. Lorick Kibler of Lexington, N. C., came over for a few days' stay with his father, Mr. W. H. Kibler.

Miss Novice Kibler has returned from Columbia, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Epting.

Mr. Stokes Nunamaker, her cousin, came up with her to spend several days in the community.

Miss Frank Paysinger of Newberry is visiting Miss Nettie Murphy.

Miss Estelle Kibler of Newberry is visiting Miss Grace Shealy.

Mr. Hal Shealy of Leesville spent several days with Mr. A. J. Bedenbaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sawyer have gone to Mr. Sawyer's home at Marion for a few days' vacation. Mr. J. W. Roof of Lexington is on the job in the depot in Mr. Sawyer's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyd and children of Union are here to visit Mr. Boyd's parents, Rev. D. P. Boyd.

Miss Bruce McVickens of Fairfield is visiting Mrs. W. D. Hatton this week.

There will be services at the Lutheran church here next Sunday night at half past eight o'clock to which all are invited to attend. The holy communion will be administered by Rev. S. C. Ballentine pastor.

Aunt Viny Kibler who lives about three miles south of here fell off her

chair and broke her shoulder bone. She seem to be doing nicely at this writing.

There was an election here on last Thursday for cotton weigher in which Mr. Malcom O. Livingston was elected. There was six candidates. Mr. J. E. Counts was in the second race and received 105 votes and Mr. Livingston received 115.

## EFFORT TO RECALL MAYOR OF ATLANTA

### Action Against Woodward and Six Other Police Commissioners Follows Mass Meeting.

Atlanta, Aug. 7.—Resolutions were adopted at a mass meeting here to-night asking the recall of Mayor Woodward and six other members of the board of police commissioners who recently voted to remove James L. Beavers as chief.

The circulation of petition to obtain the signatures of 25 per cent of the city's voters—the number necessary to have a recall election called—was begun immediately after the meeting. The object of the movement was defined by speakers as "the redemption of a righteous man crucified."

Beavers was charged with inefficiency and insubordination by the board. At a trial which ended last Tuesday he was found guilty of insubordination, and by a vote of 7 to the shooting. The child, with his commission to a captaincy. It was announced that the charge of inefficiency has not been sustained.

Supporters of the deposed chief have declared that part of the opposition to him has been from interests opposed to a strict enforcement of the laws and that his removal was an injustice.

## YOUNG MAN SHOOTS CHILD.

### Fired at Five-Year-Old Boy With an Old Pistol.

News and Courier.

Lexington, Aug. 7.—Herman Brooks, 5-year-old son of a Columbia family, was shot and probably fatally injured at Saxe-Gotha Mills, near Lexington, this afternoon. Preston Frye, a man of about 21 years of age, is accused of the shooting. The child, with his mother, was visiting friends at Saxe-Gotha, having come over from Columbia several days ago. Frye, it is said, was cleaning and oiling an old pistol out in the yard. In his childish manner Herman is said to have slapped Frye on the back two or three times. The young man is said to have told the little fellow, "If you slap me again I will shoot you," or words to that effect.

The child in a playful manner struck Frye again, whereupon the man is said to have raised the pistol and fired, the bullet striking the child in the left side and passing through the body.

Dr. Roberts was summoned and gave the child every attention possible, but suggested that the injured boy be sent to the hospital in Columbia. It is said that Frye may be brought to jail pending the outcome of the child's injuries.

## Painting Machines White to Aid in Lighting.

"That good lighting in the workshop not only facilitates the work directly, but is of the greatest indirect value because of the feeling of security and cheerfulness given the workers, is a fact that is becoming more generally recognized every day," says the August Popular Mechanics Magazine in an illustrated article. "Indirect artificial lighting has long been in use, and recently there has developed a movement for increasing the effect of daylight by means of white enamel. For this purpose a white, oil-proof enamel that will not turn yellow if kept clean, is used, both the ceiling of the shop and the machines themselves being painted with this material. It is reported that remarkable results in the way of better lighting and the elimination of shadows are obtained in this way."

Down in dear old Mexico it is the presidential chair today and bell tomorrow.

Don't lose faith in your husband. Explanations are too tedious.